

I strongly urge you to take action against Sinclair Broadcasting for their highly questionable attempt to attack the John Kerry's record just prior to the campaign. This amounts to the undermining of our democratic institutions and is a most shameful political ploy, it cannot be allowed in relation to a presidential election. Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a clear example of the dangers of media consolidation.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. Please be clear on that point - it must operate in the interest of ALL the American people.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.